

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re the Application of:**

Alexander D. Schapira et al.

Serial No.: 09/648,540

Filed: August 28, 2000

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
SIMULATION OF  
DIGITAL/ANALOG INTERFACES  
WITH ANALOG TRI-STATE IOPUTS

**Group Art Unit:** 2123

**Confirmation No.:** 7789

**Examiner:** Guill, Russell L.

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office action dated May 27, 2009 and pursuant to the instructions by the Examiner of record, Mr. Russell Guill, during the telephonic interview between the Examiner of record and the undersigned at 2:30PM EST on August 19, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the after-final amendment and response to the final Office action in accordance with the following sheets.

**Amendment to the Claims** begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 10.